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FM AMEMBASSY BANGKOK

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AMEMBASSY TAIPEI

AMEMBASSY VIENTIANE

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EO 11652: GDS TAGS: SREF

SUBJECT: PRESS GUIDANCE POSSIBLE NEW PAROLE PROGRAM

- 1. VOA AND OTHER BROADCASTS HAVE BEEN CARRYING WHAT APPEARS TO BE LEAK TO NEW YORK TIMES REGARDING DEPARTMENT'S RECOMMENDATION TO THE WHITE HOUSE REGARDING THE POSSIBLE NEW PAROLE PROGRAM FOR INDOCHINESE REFUGEES.
- 2. EMBASSY INTENDS TO TAKE POSITION IF PRESS INQUIRIES ARE RECEIVED THAT IT HAS NO INFORMATION ON THE SUBSTANCE CONFIDENTIAL

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OF THE BROADCASTS. IN OUR CONTINUING DISCUSSIONS WITH THE RTG, WE INTEND TO TAKE THE SAME POSITION, NOTING THAT IT WOULD APPEAR THAT THE ADMINISTRATION IS CONSIDERING WHETHER OR NOT TO SEEK MORE NUMBERS.

3. COMMENT: IN ADDITION TO THE EXPECTATIONS WHICH WILL BE AROUSED BY THIS REPORT IN THAILAND, WE EXPECT THIS NEWS TO HAVE

SIGNIFICANT IMPACT IN LAOS AND VIETNAM, WITH COMMENSURATE
INCREASES IN ESCAPEES, AND THE PROBLEMS THEY WILL ENGENDER.
END COMMENT.
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